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In re Application of Srinivas DODDI et al.		RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER DEC 06 2006	
Application Number 10/608,300		Filed June 27, 2003	
For OPTICAL METROLOGY OF STRUCTURES FORMED ON SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER USING MACHINE LEARNING SYSTEMS			
Art Unit 2121		Examiner N. Brown	

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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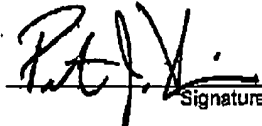
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